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In re application of: Stern

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For: Handpiece for Treatment of Tissues

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

**Introductory Comments**

Responsive to the office action mailed July 30, 2003, please consider the following  
amendments and remarks